# LOCAL NOTICE TO MARINERS

U.S. Department of Transportation

## United States Coast Guard



### **WEEKLY SUPPLEMENT**

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**BROADCAST NOTICE TO MARINERS** - Information concerning aids to navigation and waterway management promulgated by BNM 0137-00 to BNM 0150-00 has been incorporated in this notice if still significant.

LIGHT LIST REFERENCE: COMDTPUB P16502.6 LIGHT LIST, VOLUME VI 1999 Edition

#### **USE OF THE LOCAL NOTICE TO MARINERS**

With the exceptions of Sections II, III, and VI, the Weekly Supplemental editions contain only new information available in the past seven days. For all available information concerning the waterways of the Eleventh Coast Guard District, consult Monthly Edition 09-00.

#### I. SPECIAL NOTICES

LORAN-C STATUS AS OF 07 March 2000. Loran-C stations for 8290/9940 Chains are on air. For information regarding the Loran-C System, contact the Coordinator of Chain Operations West Coast at (707) 765-7590. LNM 10/00 dated 07 March 2000.

dGPS STATUS AS OF 07 March 2000.

All dGPS sites are on air. For information regarding the dGPS system, or for status updates contact the Petaluma Control Center at (707) 765-7612/7613.

LNM 10/00 dated 07 March 2000.

The Coast Guard requests comments regarding actual or potential interference to Global Positioning System (GPS)-based maritime navigation systems, caused by Mobile Satellite Service (MSS) telephones and other electronic devices on vessels. To obtain a copy of the Federal Register Notice that requests specific comments on this issue, contact the U.S. Coast Guard Hotline at 1-(800) 368-5647 or view the notice on the internet at <a href="https://www.uscqboating.org">www.uscqboating.org</a>. LNM 10/00 dated 07 March 2000.

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#### II. DISCREPANCIES / DISCREPANCIES CORRECTED AS OF 0800U 06 Mar 2000

**DISCREPANCIES**: (bold type and \* denote new information since last LNM)

<u>LLNR</u>	NAME OF AID	STATUS	AFFECTED	REF.	REF.
185.00	Anacapa Island Light	FOG SIGNAL INOPERATIVE	18740	0020-00	03-00
215.00	NOAA Environmental LB 46011	MISSING	18700	0735-00	41-99
240/3835	Morro Bay Breakwater Light	FOG SIGNAL INOPERATIVE	18703	0119-00	08-00
360.00	San Francisco App. LHB SF	RACON INOPERATIVE	18680	0114-00	08-00
500.00	NOAA Environmental LB 46022	MISSING	18620	0043-00	05-00
1720.00	San Diego Lighted Mooring Buoy 19	IMPROPER CHARACTERISTICS	18773	0109.00	08-00
2054.00	Sweetwater Channel Light 4	MISSING	18773	0136-00	09-00
3155.00	Los Angeles SW Slip Danger Buoy	MISSING	18751	0899-99	52-99
3165.00	Los Angeles East Basin Ch. Lt. 1	TRLB/ REDUCED INTENSITY	18751	0093-00	07-00
3279.00	San Pedro West Channel Light 4	REDUCED INTENSITY	18751	0053-00	05-00
3610.00	Port Hueneme Range Rear Light	EXTINGUISHED	18725	0100-00	07-00
3690.00	Ventura Marina Channel Buoy 4	MISSING	18725	0060-00	06-00
3765.00	Santa Barbara Harbor Light 4	FOG SIGNAL INOPERATIVE	18725	0938-98	52-98
4125.00	Southeast Reef Southern End LGB 1S	EXTINGUISHED	18682	0142-00	10-00*
4240.00	Four Fathom Bank Lighted Bell Buoy	EXTINGUISHED	18649	0121-00	08-00
4980.00	Brisbane Marina Light 1	MISSING	18651	0113-00	08-00
4995.00	Brisbane Marina Daybeacon 4	DAMAGED	18651	0080-00	07-00

5725.00 5820.00 5925.00 6185.00 6710.00 6750.00 6870.00 8360.00 8435.00 8480.00	Richmond Harbor Channel Light 9 San Francisco North Ch. LBB 18 San Pablo Bay Channel Light 12 Napa River Range Front Light 14 San Joaquin River Buoy 13 San Joaquin River Light 23 San Joaquin River Light 51 Crescent City Harbor LWB 2 Lake Tahoe Buoy 12 Lake Tahoe Buoy 24 Lake Tahoe Buoy 28	LEANING EXTINGUISHED IMPROPER CHARACTERISTICS LEANING OFF STATION DAYBOARDS DAMAGED LEANING REDUCED INTENSITY OFF STATION MISSING MISSING	18649 18649 18654 18654 18661 18661 18603 18665 18665	0628-99 0117-00 0135-00 0561-99 <b>0149-00</b> 0567-99 0363-99 0778-99 0778-99	37-99 08-00 09-00 33-99 <b>10-00*</b> 33-99 23-99 48-99 41-99 05-99
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3772.00	Santa Barbara HBR Lighted Buoy 5A	TRUB	18725	0146-00	10-00*
3855.10	Morro Bay Channel Lighted Buoy 4A	TEMPORARILY ESTABLISHED	18703	0110-00	08-00
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TEMPORARY CHANGES CORRECTED: None.

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Tomales Bay Buoy 3

#### **IV. CHART CORRECTIONS**

501 11th ed	I. 11/01/1997 LAST LNM: 19/99 NAD 83 America, West Coast - Mexican Border to Dixon Entrance		10/00					
RELOCATE	NOAA Environmental							
	Lighted Buoy 46006 From 40-51-00.000N 137-31-00.000W to	40-50-33.000N	122-29-10.000W					
REMOVE	NOAA Environmental	33-50-18.000N	118-26-48.000W					
ADD	Lighted Buoy 46045 NOAA Environmental	22 26 00 000N	110 21 F0 000W					
ADD	Lighted Buoy 46047	33-26-00.000N	119-31-59.000W					
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18000 7 <sup>th</sup> ed.	11/03/1984 LAST LNM 25/97 NAD 27		10/00					
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18020 35 <sup>th</sup> ed. 03/04/1995 LAST LNM 47/99	NAD 83		10/00
CA - San Diego to Cape Mandocino REMOVE NOAA Environmental Lighted Buoy 46045		33-50-18.000N	118-26-48.000W
ADD NOAA Environmental Lighted Buoy 46047 FI (4) Y 20s		33-26-00.000N	119-31-59.000W
18022 31 <sup>st</sup> ed. 03/13/1999 LAST LNM 23/99 CA - San Diego To San Francisco Bay	NAD 83		10/00
REMOVE NOAA Environmental Lighted Buoy 46045		33-50-18.000N	118-26-48.000W
ADD NOAA Environmental Lighted Buoy 46047 FI (4) Y 20s		33-26-00.000N	119-31-59.000W
18651 40th ed. 07/29/1995 LAST LNM: 47/99 CA - San Francisco Bay - Southern Part	NAD 83		10/00
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18685 31st ed. 05/16/1998 LAST LNM: 23/99 CA - Monterey Bay	NAD 83		10/00
ADD yellow buoy		36-44-42.000N	121-57-12.000W
18740 38 <sup>th</sup> ed. 11/28/1998 LAST LNM 47/99	NAD 83		10/00
CA - San Diego to Santa Rosa Island REMOVE NOAA Environmental Lighted Buoy 46045		33-50-18.000N	118-26-48.000W
ADD NOAA Environmental Lighted Buoy 46047 FI (4) Y 20s		33-26-00.000N	119-31-59.000W
18744 30 <sup>th</sup> ed. 05/09/1998 LAST LNM 48/98 CA - Santa Monica Bay	NAD 83		10/00
REMOVE NOAA Environmental Lighted Buoy 46045		33-50-18.000N	118-26-48.000W
ADD NOAA Environmental Lighted Buoy 46047 FI (4) Y 20s		33-26-00.000N	119-31-59.000W

#### V. ADVANCE NOTICE OF CHANGES IN AIDS TO NAVIGATION

None.

#### VI. PROPOSED CHANGES IN AIDS TO NAVIGATION

Periodically the Coast Guard reevaluates the system of aids to navigation to determine whether the conditions for which the aids to navigation were established have changed. When changes occur, the feasibility of improving, relocating, replacing, or discontinuing the aid is considered. In this regard the Coast Guard is evaluating changes in the aids to navigation as noted below. Comments are requested, and should be addressed to:

Commander

Eleventh Coast Guard District (oan) Building 50-6 Coast Guard Island Alameda, Ca 94501-5100 Proposed Changes (Cont'd)

All comments submitted should include the following information:

- Quantity, type, capacity and value of vessels involved, and the extent that these vessels traverse the area under consideration seasonally, by day, and by
- Where practicable, the types of navigation devices, such as compasses, radio direction finder, radar, loran, and searchlights, with which such vessels are equipped.
- The number of passengers and the type, quantity, and value of the cargo involved.
- A chart section or sketch showing the action proposed when necessary to clearly describe the recommended improvement.

NORTHERN CALIFORNIA - REQUEST FOR COMMENTS - CRESCENT CITY HARBOR LIGHTS 9, 10, & 11 - The Army Corps of Engineers is conducting an improvement project to deepen the channel leading to the boat marina. The Coast Guard proposes to add three lights to mark this channel. The

channel will be dredged to 14ft and shifted towards the pier. The proposed positions for the three lights are:
LLNR 8386 Crescent City Harbor LT 9
LLNR 8387 Crescent City Harbor LT 10
LLNR 8388 Crescent City Harbor LT 10
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Send your comments by 22 Mar 2000 to Commander, Eleventh Coast Guard District (oan); Coast Guard Island; Building 50-6, Alameda, CA 94501-5100; Attn: QM2 Cheryl Rosati or call (510) 437-2980.

Chart: 18603 LNM 08/00 dated 22 February 2000.

NORTHERN CALIFORNIA - REQUEST FOR COMMENTS - SOUTHAMPTON SHOAL CHANNEL LB 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, & 7. To properly mark the federally maintained waterway the Coast Guard proposes to move five buoys and add two additional buoys. The proposed positions for the buoys are: LLNR 5640 Lighted Buoy 1 37-53-24.896N 122-25-13.409W

LLNR 5640 Lighted Buoy 1 37-53-26.046N 122-25-03.519W 37-54-12.958N 122-25-22.329W LLNR 5645 Lighted Buoy 2 LLNR 5650 Lighted Buoy 3 LLNR 5655 Lighted Buoy 4 37-54-14.057N 122-25-12.498W 37-54-57.567N 122-25-30.725W LLNR 5657 Lighted Buoy 5 37-55-00.153N 122-25-20.682W LLNR 5659 Lighted Buoy 6 37-55-28.716N 122-25-36.777W LLNR 5660 Lighted Buoy 7 (See Enclosure (2))

Send your comments **by 07 Apr 2000** to Commander, Eleventh Coast Guard District (oan); Coast Guard Island; Building 50-6, Alameda, CA 94501-5100; Attn: QM2 Cheryl Rosati or call (510) 437-2980. Chart: 18649 LNM 10/00 dated 07 March 2000.

#### VII. GENERAL INFORMATION

All times are given in local time, represented by the time followed by (U).

**SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA - CORONADO STATE BEACH -** DIVING OPERATION - The U.S. Navy is conducting diving operations **weekly** in the vicinity of Imperial Beach **through 31 March 2000**. Operations will involve four semi-permanent inert mine training shapes and on specific training days, other submerged objects that will be removed immediately following the training evolution. The area is 2.3 NM 225 degrees true from the Coronado State Beach lookout tower and bounded by the following positions:

32°36.529N/ 117°10.406W 32°36.283N/ 117°10.396W 32°36.275N/ 117°10.689W 32°36.521N/ 117°10.698W

Chart: 18773 LNM 10/00 dated 07 March 2000.

**SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA - LONG BEACH - RACE -** The City of Long Beach will close off the east entrance to the downtown marina during the Long Beach Toyota Grand Prix Race. The closure will be in effect **from 13 April to 16 April 2000**. All concerned mariners please use the main entrance adjacent to the Los Angeles River.

Chart: 18751 LNM 10/00 dated 07 March 2000.

SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA - LOS ANGELES - WATERWAYS ANALYSIS AND MANAGEMENT SYSTEM STUDY - The Coast Guard is conducting a Waterways Analysis and Management System (WAMS) study of Cerritos Channel/LA East Basin, Los Angels Main Channel, San Pedro Channel, Long Beach Harbor and Fish Harbor. The study focuses on the area's aids to navigation system, waterborne commerce, marine casualty information, port/harbor resources, emergency response plans, routine and emergency communication capabilities, and future development projects. Any interested company or individual wishing to provide comments or participate in a user survey may download a survey from the internet at http://www.uscg.mil/pacarea/conifer or should contact: Commanding Officer

USCGC CONIFER (WLB-301) P.O. Box 3146 San Pedro, CA 90731 Attn: LTJG Dewey (310) 732-7230, or e-mail: idewey@d11.uscg.mil

Chart: 18751 LNM 10/00 dated 07 March 2000.

NORTHERN CALIFORNIA - SANTA CRUZ HARBOR - DREDGING OPERATION - The Santa Cruz Port District will be conducting dredging operations in the harbor entrance through April 2000. The dredge SEABRIGHT and dredge tender DAUTTLESS will be on scene and monitoring channel 16 VHF-FM. Contact the Santa Cruz harbor master on channel 16 VHF-FM for harbor entrance conditions and dredge passing instructions. Mariners are advised to transit the area with caution

Chart: 18685 LNM 10/00 dated 07 March 2000.

NORTHERN CALIFORNIA - SUISUN BAY - BOAT LOCK - Suisun Marsh Salinity Control Structure Boat Lock operation will be in effect from 0900U to 1700U through 30 April 2000, and from 0600U to 2200U in May 2000. Whistle signals to request opening are two prolonged blasts followed by two short blasts. Mariners are advised to transit the area with caution.

Chart: 18656 LNM 10/00 dated 07 March 2000.

#### **BRIDGE INFORMATION - DISCREPANCIES AND CORRECTIONS -**

Questions regarding bridge operations, regulations or permit applications, please contact: Eleventh Coast Guard District, (oan-2) Coast Guard Island, Building 50-6, Alameda, CA 94501-5100 Phone: (510) 437-3514. For a free copy of the California Drawbridge Regulations pamphlet, please contact the Bridge Section office above.

**SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA – SAN DIEGO BAY – CORONADO BRIDGE.** The pier work portion of the seismic retrofit is continuing. Material barges and the *WILLIAM F* derick barge with crane will be working in the areas of piers 12, 13, 14 and 19. The *WILLIAM F* working frequency is Channel 19. Other small work vessels will also be in use. Mariners should proceed with caution past the work area with minimum wakes. Chart: 18773 LNM 10/00 dated 07 March 2000.

**SOUTHERN ARIZONA – COLORADO RIVER – ARAZ DRAINAGE CANAL.** The U.S. Bureau of Reclamation will be placing a dredging pipeline across the Colorado River at the Araz drainage canal, west of Yuma. Point of contact: Mr. Doug Lancaster, USBR, (520) 343-8166. Charts: None LNM 10/00 dated 07 March 2000.

NORTHERN CALIFORNIA - SAN FRANCISCO BAY - SAN FRANCISCO-OAKLAND BAY BRIDGE. SCAFFOLD STATUS WEST BRIDGE. Scaffolding is in use between piers A and B, piers B and C, piers C and D, and piers D and E, reducing those vertical clearances by as much as 10 ft. All scaffolding is marked with red flashing lights when left in the channel overnight. SCAFFOLD STATUS EAST BRIDGE. Scaffolding is mid-span between piers G and H on the Oakland side of the bridge, reducing the vertical clearance by 6 ft and is lighted. WEST SPAN. Seismic retrofit has been completed. Note: The mooring plans and work area for the west bridge are depicted visually on web site <a href="http://www.uscg.mil/d11/oan/BRIDGE/construction\_images.htm">http://www.uscg.mil/d11/oan/BRIDGE/construction\_images.htm</a>. Charts: 18649, 18650, 18652 LNM 10/00 dated 07 March 2000.

NORTHERN CALIFORNIA - CHINA BASIN - 3RD STREET BRIDGE. The bridge is closed to vessel traffic through 15 March 2000. From 15 March 2000 through approximately 29 March 2000, the bridge will be capable of opening on one hour advance notice during the day, but will be unable to open overnight between 1700U - 0700U to complete work. Vertical clearance is approximately 1 ft. at MHW and 7 Ft. MLLW. Information as to when the bridge will be placed fully in service will be included in subsequent LNMs. Charts: 18649, 18650, 18652 LNM 10/00 dated 07 March 2000.

NORTHERN CALIFORNIA - CHINA BASIN - 3RD STREET AND 4TH STREET BASCULE BRIDGES AND ISLAIS CREEK - 3RD STREET BRIDGE. Traffic congestion has increased across these bridges. The Coast Guard is asking vessel operators to voluntarily avoid transits between 0700U-0845U and 1600U-1800U, Mondays through Fridays. Charts: 18649, 18650, 18652 LNM 10/00 dated 07 March 2000.

NORTHERN CALIFORNIA - SAN FRANCISCO BAY - ISLAIS CREEK BRIDGE. The City and County of San Francisco has replaced the dilapidated wood fenders on the north and south piers of the bridge with temporary camels. These camels extend the entire length of the north and south piers, and each encroach into the channel, reducing the horizontal clearance to approximately 90 ft. at the waterline. In addition, the movable span lights on the bridge have been repaired.

Charts: 18649, 18650, 18652 LNM 10/00 dated 07 March 2000.

NORTHERN CALIFORNIA - SAN FRANCISCO BAY - SAN MATEO HAYWARD BRIDGE. HIGH RISE PORTION. Seismic retrofit work continues. Scaffolding is in the main navigation span. Marine construction equipment is moored east of the federal navigation channel and north of the bridge. Nine Scatfolding is in the main navigation span. Marine construction equipment is moored east of the federal navigation channel and north of the bridge. Nine mooring buoys have been established in this area. The equipment on site consists of 9 barges, attended by 3 tugs. When in use, anchor lines may extend anywhere within a construction zone extending 2000-ft. north and south of the bridge. Present work involves dredging, erection of steel platforms, and construction of steel cofferdams at all bridge piers, except those immediately adjacent to the federal navigation channel. The location of the barges may change daily. Mariners can contact work parties at the bridge on VHF-FM Channel 77. Work should **conclude 30 June 2000**. Equipment, mooring buoys, and anchor buoys will be lighted and marked. Note: The mooring plans and work area are depicted visually on web site <a href="http://www.uscq.mii/d11/oan/BRIDGE/construction\_images.htm">http://www.uscq.mii/d11/oan/BRIDGE/construction\_images.htm</a>.

Charts: 18651, 18652 LNM 10/00 dated 07 March 2000.

NORTHERN CALIFORNIA - PETALUMA RIVER - HAYSTACK LANDING RAILROAD BRIDGE. The bridge has had substantial damage to the east fender. Mariners should use caution when transiting the area. Charts: 18652, 18654 LNM 10/00 dated 07 March 2000.

NORTHERN CALIFORNIA - SAN FRANCISCO BAY - CARQUINEZ STRAIT - VALLEJO CA I-80 FIXED HIGHWAY BRIDGE. NEW CARQUINEZ NORTHERN CALIFORNIA – SAN FRANCISCO BAY – CARQUINEZ STRAIT – VALLEJO CA I-80 FIXED HIGHWAY BRIDGE. NEW CARQUINEZ BRIDGE. An 80x30 ft. spudded barge with two 500-ft. anchor lines parallel to the navigation channel is performing test boring at the new South Pier. The work area is channelward of the recently constructed temporary trestle immediately downstream (west) of the existing Carquinez Highway Bridges. A spudded dump scow will occasionally moor parallel to the channel and adjacent to the anchored barge. This work should conclude by the end of March 2000. SEISMIC RETROFIT. The 40x75-ft. flexifloat barge with four 300-ft. anchor lines has been relocated to Pier 2. Anchor lines will be slacked to the bottom or removed on one-hour advance notice at the request of transiting vessels. The equipment is lighted and marked. Work at Pier 2 should conclude by early spring of 2000, and work at the center Pier 3 should conclude by late spring or early summer 2000. Mariners are cautioned to transit the work site with minimum wake to prevent damage to personnel or floating plant working at the bridges. The normal work hours are 0700-1600U from Monday through Friday. SCAFFOLDS. CalTrans has begun seismic retrofit at the 1958 (easterly) bridge. Two scaffolds may be in use in the north span, and are lighted. Clearance immediately under the scaffold is reduced 8 ft. The scaffolds are 16 ft. wide. Commercial mariners are requested to give VTS their air draft, so they and the contractor can determine whether it's present with a regressing to move the scaffolds. The scaffolds will be moved out of the pavigation span for vessels with air drafts of 135 ft. or greater. determine whether it's necessary to move the scaffolds. The scaffolds will be moved out of the navigation span for vessels with air drafts of 135 ft. or greater. The scaffolds will be moved back to the pier(s) over the weekends (1430U Friday to 0700U Monday). Note: Work is depicted visually on website Charts: 18652, 18655, 18656 LNM 10/00 dated 07 March 2000

NORTHERN CALIFORNIA - CARQUINEZ STRAIT - BENICIA / MARTINEZ HIGHWAY BRIDGE. MAIN NAVIGATION CHANNEL. The 104x56x9-ft. ironworkers platform has been moved to a position about 25 ft. into the main navigation channel near Pier 11. Vertical clearance beneath it is reduced to 128 ft. above Mean High Water (MHW). Various barges, including a 30x150 ft. anchored dump scow will be moored on the south side of Pier 10, with VTS approval, through 15 March 2000. GENERAL WORK. Concrete pours are at piers 3-13, and work vessels may be briefly at any pier. All work vessels are monitoring VHF-FM channels 13 and 14. Mariners are asked to transit with minimum wake for worker safety. For additional information, mariners may contact the crew boat EASY on Channel 11 Note: Work in the main navigation opening is depicted visually on website Charts: 18652, 18656, 18657 LNM 10/00 dated 07 March 2000.

NORTHERN CALIFORNIA - SACRAMENTO RIVER - MINER SLOUGH - MINER SLOUGH BRIDGE. The bridge will be closed to vessel traffic from 0600U 18 March 2000 until 1800U 19 March 2000 to replace a damaged beam in the superstructure. Chart: 18662 LNM 10/00 dated 07 March 2000.

NORTHERN CALIFORNIA - SACRAMENTO RIVER - ISLETON (CA 160) BRIDGE. The work has been postponed, and the bridge remains in normal service to vessel traffic.

Chart: 18662 LNM 10/00 dated 07 March 2000.

NORTHERN CALIFORNIA - SACRAMENTO RIVER - RIO VISTA BRIDGE. Work continues from platforms at bridge piers away from the main navigation opening.

Chart: 18661 LNM 10/00 dated 07 March 2000.

NORTHERN CALIFORNIA – SACRAMENTO RIVER – WALNUT GROVE BRIDGE. Sacramento County is continuing seismic retrofit of the bridge. Only one leaf of the Walnut Grove Bridge will be operated **through June 2000**, but both leafs can open on 15 minutes advance notice to the Rio Vista Bridge Operator (for large upbound vessels on the Sacramento River) or to the Freeport Bridge operator (for large downbound vessels). The Dutra Tug SARAH REED, and a 135x40 ft. spudded BARGE #1, are also on scene.

Chart: 18662 LNM 10/00 dated 07 March 2000.

NORTHERN CALIFORNIA – SACRAMENTO RIVER – MERIDIAN BRIDGE. The northeast dolphin at the bridge has been destroyed. Chart: 18664 LNM 10/00 dated 07 March 2000.

NORTHERN CALIFORNIA – SACRAMENTO RIVER – GIANELLI BRIDGE. The bridge at Hamilton City (CA Rte 32) has a significant amount of debris at the western piers. Mariners should exercise caution.

Chart: None LNM 10/00 dated 07 March 2000.

NORTHERN CALIFORNIA - NOYO RIVER - NOYO RIVER BRIDGE (SR-1). Preparatory work for the new Noyo River Bridge will commence approximately 13 March 2000. A 14x23 ft. anchored barge will be placed immediately north of the south pier for approximately one week to drill 4 holes. The barge and anchor lines will be lighted and marked, and the equipment will remain on scene overnight. No anchor lines will extend into the main navigation channel under the bridge.

Chart: 18626 LNM 10/00 dated 07 March 2000.

GENERAL – SAFETY AT BRIDGE CONSTRUCTION SITES. During the next few years, most of the major bridges in the San Francisco Bay Area will be undergoing seismic retrofit, along with two new bridges being built. Construction and retrofit activities at these bridges will involve the use of scaffolds, temporary trestles, and marine construction equipment. Vessels in the VTS traffic system will be given information about immediate construction activities by radiotelephone, and mariners may find information about long-term activities in the Local Notice to Mariners or the website <a href="http://www.uscq.mii/d11/oan/BRIDGE/construction\_images.htm">http://www.uscq.mii/d11/oan/BRIDGE/construction\_images.htm</a>. In turn, commercial vessels are asked to give VTS information about their "air draft" and their vertical clearance requirement, so that VTS and contractors can determined whether it's necessary to move scaffolds. Additionally, mariners are cautioned to transit work sites with minimum wake to prevent damage to personnel or floating plant working at the bridges.

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**GENERAL - NORTHERN CALIFORNIA-REDUCED CLEARANCES DUE TO HIGH WATER.** Recent storms have raised water levels significantly, and high runoff has carried debris into the navigation channels. The vertical clearances available at bridges may be less than shown on nautical charts. Mariners are urged to use caution, and report any aids to navigation outages (including bridge lights) to the Eleventh Coast Guard District Bridge Section at (510) 437-3514. LNM 10/00 dated 07 March 2000.

**GENERAL – SAN FRANCISCO BAY – INTERNET SITE.** Visual depiction of San Francisco Bay area major toll bridge seismic retrofit and new toll bridge construction projects can now be accessed via <a href="http://www.uscg.mil/d11/oan/BRIDGE/construction\_images.htm">http://www.uscg.mil/d11/oan/BRIDGE/construction\_images.htm</a>. Viewer access is also possible via the previously published link to <a href="http://radioaid.rdc.uscg.mil/sfbay/">http://radioaid.rdc.uscg.mil/sfbay/</a> LNM 10/00 dated 07 March 2000.

#### VIII. CORRECTIONS TO LIGHT LIST, VOLUME VI; PACIFIC COAST AND PACIFIC ISLANDS 1999:

(\*Denotes the column in which a correction has been made or new information added.)

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	
No.	Name and location	Position	Characteristic	Height	Range	Structure	Remarks	
			CALIF	ORNIA - E	leventh D	strict		
177	NOAA Environmental Lighted Buoy 46045						Remove from list *	10/00
265	Piedras Blancas Light	35-39.9N 121-17.1W		10s 142	10 *	White conical flat top 74	tower with	10/00
3016.0	-RANGE FRONT LIGHT 118-11	33-44.1N .1W	QR		27		Visible 1.5 each side 10/00 ne rangeline. nt operates continuously	
3017.0	RANGE REAR LIGHT 515 yds, 284 From front light		Iso R	6s	56	KRW on pile	Visible 1.5 each side 10/00 of the rangeline. Light operates continuously	
3106.0	-Approach Lighted Buoy 1	33-41.8N 118-14.7W	FI G 2	2.5s	4	Green		10/00
Light List	t Corrections (Cont'd)							
3107.0	-Approach Lighted Buoy 2	33-41.9N 118-17.5W	FIR4	s	4	Red		10/00
Light List	t Corrections (Cont'd)							

3117.0	Lighted Buoy 9	33-42.8N 118-15.7W	FI G 2.5s			Green		10/00
4672.0	-Lighted Buoy 6	37-47.9N 122-20.9W	FI R 2.5s		4	Red		10/00
5035.0	-Light 3	37-40.16N 122-22.80W *	FI G 4s	6		on pile *	Private aid *	10/00
5040.0	-Light 4	37-40.18N 122-22.80W *	FI R 4s	6		on pile	Private aid *	10/00
5045.0	-Light 5	37-40.14N 122-22.88W *	FI G 4s	6		on pile	Private aid *	10/00
5050.0	-Light 6	37-40.17N 122-22.88W *	FI R 4s	6		on pile	Private aid *	10/00
6470.0	ROE ISLAND CHANNEL RANGE FRONT LIGHT	34-04.0N 122-02.8	Q W	19	14 *	KRW on pile structure	Visible 10° each side of rangeline	10/00
6475.0	ROE ISLAND CHANNEL RANGE REAR LIGHT 515 yards, 284° from front light		Iso W 6s	31	14	KRW on pile structure	Visible 10° each side of rangeline 100 ft outside chann limits	10/00 el
5055.0	-Light 7	37-40.13N 122-22.97W *	<b>FI G</b> 4s	6	2	on pile	Private aid	10/00
5060.0	-Light 8	37-40.15N 122-23.97W *	FI R 4s	6	2	on pile	Private aid	10/00
5065.0	-Light 9	37-40.11N 122-23.04W *	FI G 4s	6	2	on pile	Private aid	10/00
5070.0	-Light 10	37-40.14N 122-23.05W *	FI R 4s	6	2	on pile	Private aid	10/00

#### **IX. ADDITIONAL ENCLOSURES**

(1) Proposed Southampton Shoal Channel LB 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, & 7 Location Chartlet.

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